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L5 ANSWER 1 OF 15 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2008 ACS on STN

AN 2006:774852 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20081221>>

DN 145:502211

TI Application of Azospirillum melinis

IN Tan, Zhiyuan; Peng, Guixiang; Wang, Huarong; Zhang, Guoxia; Hou, Wei

PA South China Agricultural University, Peop. Rep. China

SO Faming Zhuanli Shenqing Gongkai Shuomingshu, 9pp.

CODEN: CNXXEV

DT Patent

LA Chinese

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PI	CN 1810953	A	20060802	CN 2006-10011403	20060301
	CN 100376666	C	20080326		
PRAI	CN 2006-10011403		20060301		

AB The invention provides an Azospirillum melinis strain TMCY 05519 (CGMCC No. 1580) and the nucleotide sequence of its 16S rDNA. The strain is obtained by sepg. and purifying endogenous nitrogen-fixing bacterium from Melinis minutiflora in anaerobic and aerobic conditions with \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\*. The strain has acid resistance and high nitrogenase activity, and can be used as inoculant for promoting the growth of Melinis minutiflora and gramineous crops.

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IT 50-21-5, Lactic acid, biological studies 50-70-4, D-Sorbitol, biological studies 56-45-1, L-Serine, biological studies 56-81-5, Glycerol, biological studies 56-84-8, L-Aspartic acid, biological studies 56-86-0, L-Glutamic acid, biological studies 57-48-7, D-Fructose, biological studies 57-50-1, Sucrose, biological studies 69-65-8, D-Mannitol 69-79-4, Maltose 70-47-3, L-Asparagine, biological studies 87-89-8, Inositol 87-99-0, Xylitol 99-20-7, D-Trehalose 147-85-3, L-Proline, biological studies 149-32-6, Erythritol 156-38-7 312-84-5, D-Serine 338-69-2, D- \*\*\*Alanine\*\*\* 512-69-6, D-Raffinose 526-95-4, D-Gluconic acid 528-50-7, D-Cellobiose 547-25-1, Turanose 554-91-6, Gentiobiose 585-99-9, D-Melibiose 685-73-4, D-Galacturonic acid 687-69-4, L-Alanyl-glycine 3458-28-4, D-Mannose 4618-18-2,

Lactulose 5328-37-0, L-Arabinose 6556-12-3, D-Glucuronic acid 7512-17-6, N-Acetyl-D-glucosamine 9004-53-9, Dextrin 9005-65-6, Tween 80 9005-66-7, Tween 40 9013-04-1, Nitrogenase 36413-60-2, Quinic acid 915161-65-8, 1: PN: CN1810953 SEQID: 1 claimed DNA  
RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)  
(isolation and application of Azospirillum melinis)

L5 ANSWER 2 OF 15 CABA COPYRIGHT 2008 CABI on STN  
AN 2005:140242 CABA <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
DN 20053131702  
TI In vitro selection and characterization of water stress tolerant cultures of bell pepper  
AU Nath, A. K.; Suman Kumari; Sharma, D. R.; Kumari, S.  
CS Department of Biotechnology, Dr. Y.S. Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Solan - 173 230, India.  
SO Indian Journal of Plant Physiology, (2005) Vol. 10, No. 1, pp. 14-19. 30 ref.  
Publisher: Indian Society for Plant Physiology. New Delhi  
ISSN: 0019-5502  
CY India  
DT Journal  
LA English  
ED Entered STN: 2 Sep 2005  
Last Updated on STN: 2 Sep 2005  
AB Callus of bell pepper (*Capsicum annuum* cv. California) was initiated from hypocotyl on MS [Murashige and Skoog's] medium supplemented with NAA (0.5 mg/litre) and BAP [benzyladenine] (0.2 mg/litre). For proliferation of callus, the hormone concentrations were reduced by 50%. Cell clumps approximately 1 mm in diameter were exposed to polyethylene glycol (PEG) at concentrations ranging from 10 to 100 g/litre for water stress tolerance. Upon incubation for 30 days, the cells, which showed tolerance of PEG, formed calluses. Selected calluses were further subcultured in a \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* containing 100 g PEG/litre for 8 weeks and then transferred to normal MS medium for proliferation. The selected calluses transferred from the normal to the \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* exhibited growth. However, variation in growth was observed, and the pattern was sigmoidal in both cell lines. Compared to the control, selected cells contained significantly higher levels of soluble proteins, total sugars, reducing sugar, and free amino acids. The water stress tolerant cells also revealed enhanced activities of malate dehydrogenase, alkaline invertase, NADP+ - isocitrate dehydrogenase [isocitrate dehydrogenase (NADP+)], aspartate aminotransferase, glutamate pyruvate transaminase [ \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* aminotransferase], and acid phosphatase.  
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CT acid phosphatase; \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* aminotransferase; application rates; aspartate aminotransferase; benzyladenine; callus; characterization;

chemical composition; drought resistance; enzyme activity; enzymes; free amino acids; in vitro. . .

L5 ANSWER 3 OF 15 MEDLINE on STN  
AN 2004562887 MEDLINE <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
DN PubMed ID: 15485658  
TI A cloned prokaryotic Cd<sup>2+</sup> P-type ATPase increases yeast sensitivity to Cd<sup>2+</sup>.  
AU Wu Chen-Chou; Bal Nathalie; Perard Julien; Lowe Jennifer; Boscheron Cecile; Mintz Elisabeth; Catty Patrice  
CS Laboratoire de Biophysique Molculaire et Cellulaire, UMR 5090 CEA-CNRS, Universite Joseph Fourier, CEA/DRDC/BMC, 17 rue des Martyrs, 38054 Grenoble Cedex 9, France.  
SO Biochemical and biophysical research communications, (2004 Nov 19) Vol. 324, No. 3, pp. 1034-40.  
Journal code: 0372516. ISSN: 0006-291X.  
CY United States  
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
(RESEARCH SUPPORT, NON-U.S. GOV'T)  
LA English  
FS Priority Journals  
EM 200412  
ED Entered STN: 11 Nov 2004  
Last Updated on STN: 20 Dec 2004  
Entered Medline: 14 Dec 2004  
AB CadA, the P1-type ATPase involved in *Listeria monocytogenes* resistance to Cd(2+), was expressed in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* and did just the opposite to what was expected, as it strikingly decreased the Cd(2+) tolerance of these cells. Yeast cells expressing the non-functional mutant Asp(398)Ala could grow on \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* containing up to 100 microM Cd(2+), whereas those expressing the functional protein could not grow in the presence of 1 microM Cd(2+). The CadA-GFP fusion protein was localized in the endoplasmic reticulum membrane, suggesting that yeast hyper-sensitivity was due to Cd(2+) accumulation in the reticulum lumen. CadA is also known to transport Zn(2+), but Zn(2+) did not protect the cells against Cd(2+) poisoning. In the presence of 10 microM Cd(2+), transformed yeasts survived by rapid loss of their expression vector.  
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CT Adenosine Triphosphatases: CH, chemistry  
\*Adenosine Triphosphatases: ME, metabolism  
\*Adenosine Triphosphatases: PH, physiology  
Adenosine Triphosphate: CH, chemistry  
\*\*\* Alanine: CH, chemistry\*\*\*  
Aspartic Acid: CH, chemistry  
Cadmium: CH, chemistry  
Cadmium: ME, metabolism  
Culture Media: ME, metabolism  
Culture Media: PD, . . .  
RN 147336-22-9 (Green Fluorescent Proteins); \*\*\*56-41-7 (Alanine)\*\*\* ; 56-65-5 (Adenosine Triphosphate); 56-84-8 (Aspartic Acid); 7440-43-9 (Cadmium); 7440-66-6 (Zinc)

L5 ANSWER 4 OF 15 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT (c) 2008 The Thomson Corporation on STN  
DUPLICATE 1

AN 2003:312503 BIOSIS <<LOGINID::20081221>>

DN PREV200300312503

TI Isolation and growth optima of amino acid(s) producing bacteria from  
animal manure, soil and water samples of Lahore area.

AU Qazi, Javed I. [Reprint Author]; Noor, S. [Reprint Author]; Raqeeb, A.  
[Reprint Author]

CS Microbiology Laboratory, Department of Zoology, University of the Punjab,  
Quaid-e-Azam Campus, Lahore, 54590, Pakistan

SO Pakistan Journal of Zoology, (2002) Vol. 34, No. 4, pp. 331-338. print.  
CODEN: PJZOAN. ISSN: 0030-9923.

DT Article

LA English

ED Entered STN: 2 Jul 2003

Last Updated on STN: 2 Jul 2003

AB Bacteria were isolated from animal manure, soil and water samples on a  
\*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* devoid of amino acids. All the  
strains

were found Gram-positive possessing in general rod shaped morphology  
accompanied with cocci cells except one strain which manifested pure  
coccus nature. Twenty percent of isolates produced only one amino acid.  
Of the remaining 5, 35 and 40% isolates produced four, three and two amino  
acids, respectively. The bacterial strains producing extracellular amino  
acid of one kind, gave rise to \*\*\*alanine\*\*\*, glycine and glutamic  
acid. Of the twenty bacterial isolates reported here four were optimized  
for growth and it was found that the isolates MRL-AA-4, MRL-AA-9 and  
MRL-AA-15 gave maximum production at 24 hours sampling period, while the  
strain MRL-AA-13 indicated highest yield of extracellular amino acids  
after 40 hours of incubation. These strains were found positive for  
catalase, motility and Voges-Proskauer tests, while they gave negative  
reactions for citrate utilization and MacConkey agar tests.

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one kind, gave rise to \*\*\*alanine\*\*\*, glycine and glutamic acid. Of  
the twenty bacterial isolates reported here four were optimized for growth  
and it was found. . .

IT Major Concepts

Bioprocess Engineering

IT Chemicals & Biochemicals

\*\*\*alanine\*\*\* : amino acid, extracellular; catalase [EC 1.11.1.6];  
citrate: utilization; glutamic acid: amino acid, extracellular;  
glycine: amino acid, extracellular

RN 56-41-7Q ( \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* )

302-72-7Q ( \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* )

9001-05-2 (catalase)

9001-05-2 (EC 1.11.1.6)

126-44-3 (citrate)

56-86-0Q (glutamic acid)

617-65-2Q (glutamic acid)

56-40-6 (glycine)

L5 ANSWER 5 OF 15 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2008 ACS on STN

AN 2003:90658 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
 DN 138:331833  
 TI A yeast-based functional assay for the detection of the mutant androgen  
 receptor in prostate cancer  
 AU Ceraline, Jocelyn; Erdmann, Eva; Erbs, Philippe; Deslandres-Cruchant,  
 Marion; Jacqmin, Didier; Duclos, Brigitte; Klein-Soyer, Claudine; Dufour,  
 Patrick; Bergerat, Jean-Pierre  
 CS Laboratoire de Cancerologie Experimentale et de Radiobiologie, EA  
 3430-ULP, IRCAD, Strasbourg, F67091, Fr.  
 SO European Journal of Endocrinology (2002), Volume Date 2003, 148(1), 99-109  
 CODEN: EJOEEP; ISSN: 0804-4643  
 PB BioScientifica Ltd.  
 DT Journal  
 LA English  
 AB Mutations in the ligand-binding domain of the human androgen receptor (AR)  
 figure among the ways used by prostate adenocarcinoma (PCa) cells to  
 escape androgen dependence. These mutations may broaden the specificity  
 and/or affinity of the AR to other hormones, resulting in inappropriate  
 receptor activation and thus affecting the PCa response to physiol.  
 stimuli and hormonal therapies. In order to clarify the impact of these  
 mutations on disease progression and treatment, we have developed a  
 yeast-based functional assay that allows the detection of mutant ARs and  
 the anal. of their transactivation capacities in response to different  
 ligands. AR cDNA was directly cloned into an expression vector in a yeast  
 strain that carries a reporter gene (ADE2) linked to an androgen-dependent  
 promoter. The expression of the ADE2 gene and consequently the yeast cell  
 growth in a \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* depleted in adenine  
 depends on the specificity of the AR for the ligand added to the medium.  
 By analyzing the transactivation capacities of different AR mols. in  
 response to a broad range of steroid and non-steroid ligands, we have  
 demonstrated that this assay can discriminate among wild-type AR, T877A.  
 C685Y and L701H mutant ARs and that at least 1% of mutant ARs could be  
 detected when mutant and wild-type ARs were mixed at the cDNA level. The  
 data presented here show that this simple AR assay is convenient for the  
 routine detection of mutant ARs in PCa and is also suitable to evaluate  
 the antagonist activities of anti-androgen mols.

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AB . . . (ADE2) linked to an androgen-dependent promoter. The expression  
 of the ADE2 gene and consequently the yeast cell growth in a  
 \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* depleted in adenine depends on the  
 specificity of the AR for the ligand added to the medium. By analyzing  
 the. . .

IT 56-41-7, L- \*\*\*Alanine\*\*\* , biological studies  
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)  
 (to substitute 877Cys of androgen receptor; yeast-based functional  
 assay for detection of activation of mutant androgen receptors by  
 different ligands in prostate cancer cells)

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 DUPLICATE 2

AN 2000:503532 BIOSIS <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
 DN PREV200000503532  
 TI Detection and substrate selectivity of new microbial D-amino acid  
 oxidases.  
 AU Gabler, M.; Hensel, M.; Fischer, L. [Reprint author]  
 CS Division of Biotechnology, Institute of Food Technology, University of

Hohenheim, Emil-Wolff-Str. 14, D-70599, Stuttgart, Germany

SO Enzyme and Microbial Technology, (November 1, 2000) Vol. 27, No. 8, pp. 605-611. print.  
CODEN: EMTED2. ISSN: 0141-0229.

DT Article

LA English

ED Entered STN: 22 Nov 2000  
Last Updated on STN: 11 Jan 2002

AB In order to screen for new microbial D-amino acid oxidase activities a selective and sensitive peroxidase/o-dianisidine assay, detecting the formation of hydrogen peroxide was developed. Catalase, which coexists with oxidases in the peroxisomes or the microsomes and, which competes with peroxidase for hydrogen peroxide, was completely inhibited by o-dianisidine up to a catalase activity of 500 nkat ml<sup>-1</sup>. Thus, using the peroxidase/o-dianisidine assay and employing crude extracts of microorganisms in a microplate reader, a detection sensitivity for oxidase activity of 0.6 nkat ml<sup>-1</sup> was obtained. Wild type colonies which were grown on a \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* containing D-\*\*\*alanine\*\*\* as carbon, energy and nitrogen source were examined for D-amino acid oxidase activity by the peroxidase/o-dianisidine assay. The oxidase positive colonies possessing an apparent oxidase activity > 2 nkat g dry biomass<sup>-1</sup> were isolated. Among them three new D-amino acid oxidase-producers were found and identified as *Fusarium oxysporum*, *Verticilium lutealbum* and *Candida parapsilosis*. The best new D-amino oxidase producer was the fungus *F. oxysporum* with a D-amino acid oxidase activity of about 900 nkat g dry biomass<sup>-1</sup> or 21 nkat mg protein<sup>-1</sup>. With regard to the use as a biocatalytic tool in biotechnology the substrate specificities of the three new D-amino acid oxidases were compared with those of the known D-amino acid oxidases from *Trigonopsis variabilis*, *Rhodotorula gracilis* and pig kidney under the same conditions. All six D-amino acid oxidases accepted the D-enantiomers of \*\*\*alanine\*\*\*, valine, leucine, proline, phenylalanine, serine and glutamine as substrates and, except for the D-amino acid oxidase from *V. lutealbum*, D-tryptophane, D-tyrosine, D-arginine and D-histidine were accepted as well. The relative highest activities (>95%) were measured versus D-\*\*\*alanine\*\*\* (*C. parapsilosis*, *F. oxysporum*, *T. variabilis*), D-methionine (*V. lutealbum*, *R. gracilis*), D-valine (*T. variabilis*, *R. gracilis*) and D-proline (pig kidney). The D-amino oxidases from *F. oxysporum* and *V. lutealbum* were able to react with the industrially important substrate cephalosporin C although the D-amino acid oxidase from *T. variabilis* was at least about 20-fold more active with this substrate. As the results of our studies, a reliable oxidase assay was developed, allowing high throughput screening in a microplate reader. Furthermore, three new microbial D-amino acid oxidase-producers with interesting broad substrate specificities were introduced in the field of biotechnology.

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D-methionine (*V. luteoalbum*, *R. gracilis*), D-valine (*T. variabilis*, *R. gracilis*) and D-proline (pig kidney).. . .

L5 ANSWER 7 OF 15 MEDLINE on STN  
AN 2001010116 MEDLINE <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
DN PubMed ID: 10872076  
TI Segregation following interspecific transfer of isolated nuclei between *Phytophthora parasitica* and *P. capsici*.  
AU Gu Y H; Ko W H  
CS Department of Plant Pathology, Beaumont Agricultural Research Center, University of Hawaii at Manoa, Hilo 96720, USA.  
SO Canadian journal of microbiology, (2000 May) Vol. 46, No. 5, pp. 410-6. Journal code: 0372707. ISSN: 0008-4166.  
CY Canada  
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
LA English  
FS Priority Journals  
EM 200010  
ED Entered STN: 22 Mar 2001  
Last Updated on STN: 22 Mar 2001  
Entered Medline: 20 Oct 2000  
AB Nuclei isolated from metalaxyl-resistant (MR) protoplasts of *Phytophthora parasitica* were transferred into chloroneb-resistant (CnR) protoplasts of *Phytophthora capsici* and vice versa, with an average success rate of  $2.6 \times 10^{-4}$  (protoplasts with donor nuclei/regenerated protoplasts), using a \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* containing only the fungicide tolerated by the nuclear donor. No colonies appeared when self-fusion products of donor nuclei or recipient protoplasts were exposed to the \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\*. Colonies produced by the nuclear transfer formed sectors commonly, and differed from the parental types in appearance. All the zoospores produced by the nuclear hybrids were of normal size, and one-fifth of them contained both MR and CnR genes. Since zoospores are mostly uninucleate, these results indicated the occurrence of chromosome re-assortment or mitotic crossing-over following the production of transitory tetraploids, followed by diploidization during zoosporogenesis, thus suggesting the completion of events leading to a parasexual cycle. Hyphal fragment cultures from a nuclear hybrid tested showed considerable variation in growth rate, mycelial morphology, and level of resistance to metalaxyl, indicating uneven distribution and continuous segregation of different types of nuclei in mycelia during vegetative growth.  
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CT \*\*\* Alanine: AA, analogs & derivatives\*\*\*  
\*\*\* Alanine: PD, pharmacology\*\*\*  
\*Cell Nucleus: GE, genetics  
Chlorobenzenes: PD, pharmacology  
Crossing Over, Genetic  
Culture Media

Drug Resistance, Microbial: GE, genetics

RN 2675-77-6 (chloroneb); \*\*\*56-41-7 (Alanine)\*\*\* ; 57837-19-1 (metalaxyl)

L5 ANSWER 8 OF 15 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2008 ACS on STN

AN 1996:146874 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20081221>>

DN 124:226852

OREF 124:41909a,41912a

TI Transgenic potato with high essential amino acid encoding gene

AU Wang, Guang-qing; Wang, Yun-zhu; Yang, Jin-shui; Ying, Yan-ru; Qian, Min; Ge, Kou-lin

CS Institute Genetics, Fudan University, Shanghai, 200433, Peop. Rep. China

SO Zhiwu Xuebao (1995), 37(8), 655-8

CODEN: CHWHAY; ISSN: 0577-7496

PB Kexue

DT Journal

LA Chinese

AB Leaf disks of potato (*Solanum tuberosum*) "Dongnong 303" sterile seedlings were inoculated with *Agrobacterium tumefaciens* strain C58C1 harboring a helper plasmid pGV2260 and a binary vector plasmid pPZH1. Wounded leaves formed kanamycin-resistant calli on a \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\*. The transformation rates ranged from 4% to 38% for different varieties. Regenerated transgenic plantlets confirmed by NPT II (neomycin phosphotransferase) activity assay and DNA hybridization have been obtained. The data from amino acid assay revealed that the contents of most amino acids of the transgenic microtubers displayed various increments as compared with those of control microtubers and the total amino acids content increased by 96.1% over the control.

AB . . . strain C58C1 harboring a helper plasmid pGV2260 and a binary vector plasmid pPZH1. Wounded leaves formed kanamycin-resistant calli on a \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\*. The transformation rates ranged from 4% to 38% for different varieties. Regenerated transgenic plantlets confirmed by NPT II (neomycin phosphotransferase). . . .

IT 56-40-6, Glycine, biological studies 56-41-7, L- \*\*\*Alanine\*\*\* , biological studies 56-45-1, L-Serine, biological studies 56-84-8, L-Aspartic acid, biological studies 56-86-0, L-Glutamic acid, biological studies 56-87-1, L-Lysine, biological studies 60-18-4, L-Tyrosine, biological studies 61-90-5, Leu, biological studies 63-68-3, L-Methionine, biological studies 63-91-2, L-Phenylalanine, biological studies 71-00-1, L-Histidine, biological studies 72-18-4, L-Valine, biological studies 73-32-5, L-Isoleucine, biological studies 74-79-3, L-Arginine, biological studies 147-85-3, L-Proline, biological studies  
RL: BOC (Biological occurrence); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study); OCCU (Occurrence)  
(transgenic potato with high essential amino acid encoding gene)

L5 ANSWER 9 OF 15 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2008 ACS on STN DUPLICATE 3

AN 1994:99782 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20081221>>

DN 120:99782

OREF 120:17543a,17546a

TI Structurally engineered cytochromes with unusual ligand-binding properties: expression of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* Met-80 .fwdarw. Ala iso-1-cytochrome c

AU Lu, Yi; Casimiro, Danilo R.; Bren, Kara L.; Richards, John H.; Gray, Harry B.

CS Beckman Inst., California Inst. Technol., Pasadena, CA, 91125, USA

SO Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of



America (1993), 90(24), 11456-9  
CODEN: PNASA6; ISSN: 0027-8424

DT Journal  
LA English

AB A strategy has been developed to express and purify a recombinant, nonfunctional axial-ligand mutant of iso-1-cytochrome c (Met-80 .fwdarw. Ala) in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* in quantities necessary for extensive biophys. characterization. It involves coexpressing in the same plasmid (YEp213) the nonfunctional gene with a functional gene copy for complementation in a \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* . The functional gene encodes a product with an engineered metal-chelating dihistidine site (His-39 and Leu-58 .fwdarw. His) that enables efficient sepn. of the two isoforms by immobilized metal-affinity chromatog. The purified Met-80 .fwdarw. Ala protein possesses a binding site for dioxygen and other exogenous ligands. Absorption spectra of several derivs. of this mutant show striking similarities to those of corresponding derivs. of horseradish peroxidase, myoglobin, and cytochrome P 450. The use of a dual-gene vector for cytochrome c expression together with metal-affinity sepn. opens the way for the engineering of variants with dramatically altered structural and catalytic properties.

AB . . . It involves coexpressing in the same plasmid (YEp213) the nonfunctional gene with a functional gene copy for complementation in a \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* . The functional gene encodes a product with an engineered metal-chelating dihistidine site (His-39 and Leu-58 .fwdarw. His) that enables efficient. . .

IT 63-68-3, Methionine, biological studies  
RL: BIOL (Biological study)  
(of cytochrome c isoform 1 position 80, \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* replacement of, protein engineering and ligand-binding properties in relation to)

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AN 1984:266404 BIOSIS <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
DN PREV198478002884; BA78:2884

TI ISOLATION AND ANALYSIS OF 2 ESCHERICHIA-COLI K-12 ILV ATTENUATOR DELETION MUTANTS WITH HIGH LEVEL CONSTITUTIVE EXPRESSION OF AN ILV LAC FUSION OPERON.

AU BENNETT D C [Reprint author]; UMBARGER H E  
CS PURDUE UNIV BIOCHEM PROGRAM, PURDUE UNIV, WEST LAFAYETTE, INDIANA 47907, USA

SO Journal of Bacteriology, (1984) Vol. 157, No. 3, pp. 839-845.  
CODEN: JOBAAY. ISSN: 0021-9193.

DT Article  
FS BA  
LA ENGLISH

AB A lysogenizing phage, .lambda. dilv-lac11, was constructed to carry an ilvD-lac operon fusion. Expression from the phage of the ilvE and lacZ genes is controlled by an intact ilv control region also carried by this phage. Two spontaneous mutants of .lambda. dilv-lac11 that have high-level constitutive expression of the ilv-lac fusion operon were isolated by growth on a .beta.-chloroalanine \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* . The mutants were shown by nucleotide sequence determination to contain large deletions (.DELTA.2216, .apprx. 1.6 kilobases: .DELTA.2219, .apprx. 1.9 kilobases), which in both cases remove the proposed ilv attenuator terminator. The rest of the ilv leader and promoter region DNA remains intact in these mutants. Deletion 2216

removed part of the downstream ilvG gene. .DELTA.2219 extended through the entire ilvG gene into the ilvGE intercistronic region. A possible mechanism of deletion formation is discussed.

AB. . . of .lambda. dilv-lac11 that have high-level constitutive expression of the ilv-lac fusion operon were isolated by growth on a .beta.-chloroalanine \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* . The mutants were shown by nucleotide sequence determination to contain large deletions (.DELTA.2216, .apprx. 1.6 kilobases: .DELTA.2219, .apprx. 1.9 kilobases),.

IT Miscellaneous Descriptors

PHAGE LAMBDA BETA CHLORO \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* ILV-E GENE LAC-Z GENE ILV-G GENE/

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AN 1981:154297 BIOSIS <<LOGINID::20081221>>

DN PREV198171024289; BA71:24289

TI APPROACH TO RECOGNITION OF REGULATORY MUTANTS OF CYANOBACTERIA.

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DT Article

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AB Antimetabolite analogs of essential amino acids are useful as selective agents for isolation of regulatory mutants of cyanobacteria, although striking microbiological differences from other widely used eubacterial systems were observed. Regulatory mutants shown to overproduce and excrete tryptophan, phenylalanine, tyrosine, methionine or arginine were isolated from 4 cyanobacteria: Anabaena sp. 29151, Synechococcus sp. 602, Synechococcus sp. AN Tx20 and Synechocystis sp. 29108. Surprisingly, regulatory-mutant colonies did not support a halo of cross-fed wild-type growth on \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* . Since regulatory mutants were shown to excrete substantial levels of amino acids, it was deduced that poor cross-feeding must reflect a generally low nutritional responsiveness of the cyanobacterial background. Regulatory-mutant cells of cyanobacteria dispersed among wild-type populations of Bacillus subtilis did produce halo colonies on solid analog-containing medium. Cross-feeding between one cyanobacterial pair (a phenylalanine excretor and a phenylalanine auxotroph) was successfully demonstrated in the absence of the analog under conditions in which relatively large masses of each cell population type were spread near one another on agar plates. These results suggest that amino acid excreted by regulatory mutants of cyanobacteria on analog-containing \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* is transported into nearby wild-type cells too inefficiently to overcome the antimetabolite effects of the analog, thereby failing to generate halos of physiologically resistant background cells. Consistent with this interpretation was the finding that the pheA1 auxotroph from Synechococcus sp. 602 exhibited a linearly proportional dependence of growth rate upon exogenous concentration of L-phenylalanine (below 20 .mu.M). Wild-type B. subtilis serves as a convenient and sensitive test lawn for screening obvious regulatory mutants for among collections of analog-resistant cyanobacterial mutants. Appropriate B. subtilis auxotrophs can be used as convenient indicator strains for the identification of regulatory mutants in cyanobacteria through the observation of syntrophic growth responses.

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IT Miscellaneous Descriptors  
 SYNECHOCOCCUS-SP AN-TX-20 SYNECHOCOCCUS-SP 602 SYNECHOCYSTIS-SP 29108  
 ANABAENA-SP 29151 BACILLUS-SUBTILIS EUBACTERIAL SYSTEM TRYPTOPHAN  
 PHENYL \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* TYROSINE METHIONINE ARGININE SYNTHESIS

RN . . . 73-22-3Q (TRYPTOPHAN)  
 63-91-2Q (PHENYLALANINE)  
 150-30-1Q (PHENYLALANINE)  
 60-18-4Q (TYROSINE)  
 556-03-6Q (TYROSINE)  
 59-51-8Q (METHIONINE)  
 63-68-3Q (METHIONINE)  
 74-79-3Q (ARGININE)  
 7200-25-1Q (ARGININE)  
 3617-44-5Q (PHENYL \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* )  
 6912-86-3Q (TRYPTOPHAN)  
 7004-12-8Q (ARGININE)  
 7005-18-7Q (METHIONINE)  
 55520-40-6Q (TYROSINE)

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 DN PREV198069058804; BA69:58804

TI DEVELOPMENT OF A \*\*\*SELECTIVE\*\*\* \*\*\*MEDIUM\*\*\* FOR THE ISOLATION OF  
 CLOSTRIDIUM-SPOROGENES AND RELATED ORGANISMS.

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 SO Journal of Applied Bacteriology, (1979) Vol. 47, No. 3, pp. 425-432.  
 CODEN: JABAA4. ISSN: 0021-8847.

DT Article  
 FS BA  
 LA ENGLISH

AB An attempt was made to develop a selective isolation medium for *C. sporogenes* and related organisms based on the ability of these organisms to obtain their energy for growth by means of coupled oxidation-reduction reactions between appropriate pairs of amino acids (Stickland reaction). Using a semi-defined basal medium containing various combinations of amino acids, it was found that *C. sporogenes* utilized a wider range of amino acid pairs than strains of 5 other species of clostridia known to carry out a Stickland-type fermentation. With \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* and proline as the principal energy sources and the medium solidified with agar, reference strains of *C. sporogenes* and proteolytic *C. botulinum* types A, B and F could be recovered almost quantitatively, with or without prior heating at 80.degree. C for 10 min. By contrast, growth of test strains of *Streptococcus faecalis*, *S. faecium*, saccharolytic *C. botulinum* types B, C, D, E and F and proteolytic strains of types C and D was suppressed on this medium, as were strains of 26 other spp. of clostridia. Addition of

50 .mu.g/ml of polymyxin to the agar medium had no detectable effect on the recovery of *C. sporogenes* or *C. botulinum*. When samples of soil and mud were plated on the antibiotic-containing medium, 63.1% of 225 isolates thus obtained were identified as *C. sporogenes/botulinum*.

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IT Miscellaneous Descriptors  
CLOSTRIDIUM-BOTULINUM \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* PROLINE POLYMYXIN  
ANTIBACTERIAL-DRUG

RN 56-41-7Q ( \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* )  
302-72-7Q ( \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* )  
147-85-3Q (PROLINE)  
609-36-9Q (PROLINE)  
1406-11-7 (POLYMYXIN)  
6898-94-8Q ( \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* )  
7005-20-1Q (PROLINE)

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AN 1973:439975 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
DN 79:39975  
OREF 79:6506h,6507a  
TI \*\*\*Selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* for the detection of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*  
IN Abdou, Mohamed  
PA Boehringer, C. H., Sohn  
SO Ger. Offen., 8 pp. Division of Ger. Offen. 2,151,413.  
CODEN: GWXXBX  
DT Patent  
LA German  
FAN.CNT 1

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PI	DE 2166086	A1	19730419	DE 1971-2166086	19711015
	DE 2166086	B2	19770707		
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AB Two selective media for the enrichment and qual. detn. of *P. aeruginosa* in pharmaceutical products are described. Besides the normal constituents, the solid media contain N-cocos-.beta.- propionic acid (1-3 g/l.) and a Cd salt (preferably CdSO<sub>4</sub>, 0.05-0.3 g/l.). The pH of the media was adjusted to 6.6-7.6 with the opt. at pH 7.2. The complete medium was autoclaved. The incubation period was 1-3 days at 35-39. The identification of distinct groups of *P. aeruginosa* was made using media addnl. contg. D,L-\*\*\*alanine\*\*\* for pyocyanine formation or glycerine and phosphate for prodn. of fluorescing compds.

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IT *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*  
(detection of, \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* for)

L5 ANSWER 14 OF 15 MEDLINE on STN  
 AN 1972026698 MEDLINE <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
 DN PubMed ID: 4939768  
 TI Enriched selection of dominant mutations: histidine operator mutations.  
 AU Chang G W; Straus D; Ames B N  
 SO Journal of bacteriology, (1971 Aug) Vol. 107, No. 2, pp. 578-9.  
 Journal code: 2985120R. ISSN: 0021-9193.  
 CY United States  
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA English  
 FS Priority Journals  
 EM 197201  
 ED Entered STN: 10 Mar 1990  
 Last Updated on STN: 10 Mar 1990  
 Entered Medline: 4 Jan 1972  
 AB In the course of selection of bacteria with derepressed levels of histidine biosynthetic enzymes, it was found that when mutagen-treated cells were spread on a \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* without allowing intervening growth to occur, the frequency of operator mutants obtained was dramatically increased. This may be useful as a general enrichment for operator or other dominant mutations.  
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 CT \*\*\* Alanine\*\*\*  
 Bacteriological Techniques  
 Culture Media  
 \*Genes, Dominant  
 Genes, Regulator  
 \*Genetics, Microbial  
 Glucose  
 \*Histidine: BI, biosynthesis  
 Mutagens  
 \*Mutation  
 Salmonella typhimurium: CY,. . .  
 RN 50-99-7 (Glucose); \*\*\*56-41-7 (Alanine)\*\*\* ; 71-00-1 (Histidine)  
  
 L5 ANSWER 15 OF 15 MEDLINE on STN  
 AN 1965023446 MEDLINE <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
 DN PubMed ID: 14219048  
 TI RECOMBINATION BETWEEN NOCARDIA ERYTHROPOLIS AND NOCARDIA CANICRURIA.  
 AU ADAMS J N  
 SO Journal of bacteriology, (1964 Oct) Vol. 88, pp. 865-76.  
 Journal code: 2985120R. ISSN: 0021-9193.  
 CY United States  
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LA English  
 FS OLDMEDLINE; NONMEDLINE  
 EM 199612  
 ED Entered STN: 16 Jul 1999  
 Last Updated on STN: 16 Jul 1999  
 Entered Medline: 1 Dec 1996  
 AB Adams, James N. (University of South Dakota, Vermillion). Recombination between Nocardia erythropolis and Nocardia canicruria. J. Bacteriol. 88:865-876. 1964.-Nutritionally complementary auxotrophic mutants derived

from *Nocardia erythropolis* did not yield prototrophic recombinants when progeny from mixed cultures or newly mixed strains were inoculated onto minimal medium. Similarly, complementary auxotrophic mutants of *N. canicruria* did not produce prototrophic recombinants. When interspecific mating was attempted between complementary mutants of *N. erythropolis* and *N. canicruria*, prototrophic recombinants were recovered at frequencies dependent, in part, upon the auxotrophic strains used in the test crosses. Growth of the parental types in mixed cultures was necessary for the production of recombinant progeny. Direct selection for recombinants by inoculating the \*\*\*selective\*\*\* \*\*\*medium\*\*\* with a mixture of parental types without prior mixed growth did not result in the recovery of recombinants. Varying the medium upon which mixed growth occurred, or varying the ratio of *N. erythropolis* to *N. canicruria* cells used as inocula, did not greatly affect the recovery of recombinants. Heat-killing one or the other of the parental types prevented recombinant production. The lack of recovery of recombinants from crosses of homologously derived strains suggested that a mating factor controls recombination. The mating factor was not eliminated by acriflavine treatment. The recovery of a recombinant strain capable of forming recombinants with either *N. erythropolis* or *N. canicruria*, and the recovery of another strain which mated only with *N. erythropolis* in backcrosses, suggests that the mating factor may be of a multiple nature.

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ST \*\*\*adenine; alanine; antibiotics; arginine; cysteine; cystine; drug\*\*\*  
 \*\*\* resistance, microbial; experimental lab study; glycine; guanine;\*\*\*  
 \*\*\* histidine; hypoxanthines; isoleucine; leucine; lysine; metabolism;\*\*\*  
 \*\*\* methionine;. . . \*\*\*  
 \*\*\*CT \*Adenine\*\*\*  
 \*\*\* \*\*\*\*\*Alanine\*\*\*

\*Anti-Bacterial Agents  
 \*Arginine  
 \*Cysteine  
 \*Cystine  
 \*Drug Resistance, Microbial  
 \*Glycine  
 \*Guanine  
 \*Histidine  
 \*Hypoxanthines  
 \*Isoleucine  
 \*Leucine  
 \*Lysine  
 \*Metabolism  
 \*Methionine  
 \*Mutation  
 \*Nocardia  
 \*Research

. . .  
 RN 52-90-4 (Cysteine); 56-40-6 (Glycine); \*\*\*56-41-7 (Alanine)\*\*\* ;  
 56-87-1 (Lysine); 56-89-3 (Cystine); 57-92-1 (Streptomycin); 61-90-5  
 (Leucine); 63-68-3 (Methionine); 7004-03-7 (Valine); 71-00-1 (Histidine);  
 73-24-5 (Adenine); 73-32-5 (Isoleucine); 73-40-5. . .

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L7 37 (ALANINE OR SERINE) AND (ONLY NITROGEN SOURCE)

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DN PREV199799454383

TI Nitrogen source regulates expression of \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* dehydrogenase  
isoenzymes in Streptomyces avermitilis in a chemically defined  
\*\*\*medium\*\*\* .

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Birmingham, AL 35294, USA

SO Canadian Journal of Microbiology, (1997) Vol. 43, No. 2, pp. 189-193.  
CODEN: CJMIAZ. ISSN: 0008-4166.

DT Article

LA English

ED Entered STN: 15 Apr 1997

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AB Ammonium ions and \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* influence production of the macrolide  
avermectin in Streptomyces avermitilis. L- \*\*\*Alanine\*\*\* dehydrogenase  
and \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* aminotransferase are the primary enzymes responsible  
for regulating the intracellular concentration of \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* and  
also of ammonium ions. In cultures of S. avermitilis in a chemically  
defined \*\*\*medium\*\*\* with ammonia or L- \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* as the  
\*\*\*only\*\*\* \*\*\*nitrogen\*\*\* \*\*\*source\*\*\*, specific activities of  
both enzymes increased during growth. The \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* dehydrogenase  
specific activity increased more than 86-fold after the culture was  
supplemented with 0.2% L- \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* and 5-fold after addition of  
0.5% ammonium sulfate, whereas \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* aminotransferase specific  
activity increased 3- to 4-fold with either substrate. Five isoenzymes of  
\*\*\*alanine\*\*\* dehydrogenase were detected histochemically in S.  
avermitilis after native gel electrophoresis. Isoenzyme 1 was induced by  
\*\*\*alanine\*\*\* and temporarily repressed by high concentrations of  
ammonium sulfate. The presence of isoenzyme 1 was also related to changes  
in the kinetic properties of the \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* dehydrogenase reaction  
measured in crude desalted extracts. A nonlinear double-reciprocal plot  
was obtained in initial velocity studies using L- \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* as a  
substrate in the sample induced with L- \*\*\*alanine\*\*\*. The  
nonlinearity was caused by both substrate inhibition and allosteric  
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IT . . . .  
Biophysics; Bioprocess Engineering; Enzymology (Biochemistry and Molecular Biophysics); Metabolism; Methods and Techniques; Nutrition; Pharmacology; Physiology

IT Chemicals & Biochemicals  
NITROGEN; \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* DEHYDROGENASE; EC 1.4.1.1; AMMONIUM IONS; \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\*; \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* AMINOTRANSFERASE; AVERMECTIN

IT Miscellaneous Descriptors  
\*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\*; \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* AMINOTRANSFERASE; \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* DEHYDROGENASE; AMMONIUM IONS; ANALYTICAL METHOD; AVERMECTIN; AVERMECTIN PRODUCTION; BIOPROCESS ENGINEERING; CHEMICALLY DEFINED \*\*\*MEDIUM\*\*\*; EC 1.4.1.1; ENZYMOLOGY; EXPRESSION; GEL ELECTROPHORESIS; ISOZYMES; NITROGEN SOURCE; NITROGEN SOURCES; NUTRITION; STRAIN-C-18

RN 7727-37-9 (NITROGEN)  
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9029-06-5 (EC 1.4.1.1)  
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56-41-7Q ( \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* )  
302-72-7Q ( \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* )  
9000-86-6 ( \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* AMINOTRANSFERASE)  
73989-17-0 (AVERMECTIN)

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AN 1993:278980 BIOSIS <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
DN PREV199396009205  
TI Enzymes of ammonium assimilation in *Streptomyces avermitilis*.  
AU Novak, J.; Curdova, E.; Jechova, V.; Cimbarkova, E.; Vanek, Z.  
CS Lab. Biogenesis Natural Metabolites, Inst. Microbiol., Czech. Acad. Sciences, 142 20 Prague 4, czech republic  
SO Folia Microbiologica, (1992) Vol. 37, No. 4, pp. 261-266.  
CODEN: FOMIAZ. ISSN: 0015-5632.  
DT Article



LA English  
 ED Entered STN: 9 Jun 1993  
 Last Updated on STN: 9 Jun 1993  
 AB Glutamine synthetase (GS), glutamate synthase (GOGAT), glutamate dehydrogenase (GDH), \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* dehydrogenase (ADH) and \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* aminotransferase (GPT) were detected in the cell-free homogenate of Streptomyces avermitilis grown in a defined \*\*\*medium\*\*\* containing ammonium sulfate as the \*\*\*only\*\*\* \*\*\*nitrogen\*\*\* \*\*\*source\*\*\*. At an initial NH-4+ concentration of 7.5 mmol/L, high activities of GS, GOGAT and GDH were found while that of ADH was low. The ADH activity was markedly increased at initially millimolar NH-4+ concentrations. In some characteristics of its NH-4+ -assimilating system (e.g. control of some enzyme activities, the NADPH specificity of GOGAT, the presence of \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* aminotransferase), S. avermitilis differs from other known streptomycetes.

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IT Major Concepts  
 Enzymology (Biochemistry and Molecular Biophysics); Metabolism; Physiology

IT Chemicals & Biochemicals  
 AMMONIUM; GLUTAMINE SYNTHETASE; GLUTAMATE SYNTHASE; GLUTAMATE DEHYDROGENASE; \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* DEHYDROGENASE; \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* AMINOTRANSFERASE; AMMONIUM SULFATE; NITROGEN

IT Miscellaneous Descriptors  
 \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* AMINOTRANSFERASE; \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* DEHYDROGENASE; AMMONIUM SULFATE; DEFINED \*\*\*MEDIUM\*\*\*; GLUTAMATE DEHYDROGENASE; GLUTAMATE SYNTHASE; GLUTAMINE SYNTHETASE; NITROGEN SOURCE

RN . . . SYNTHETASE)  
 37213-53-9Q (GLUTAMATE SYNTHASE)  
 62213-56-3Q (GLUTAMATE SYNTHASE)  
 65589-88-0Q (GLUTAMATE SYNTHASE)  
 9001-46-1Q (GLUTAMATE DEHYDROGENASE)  
 9029-11-2Q (GLUTAMATE DEHYDROGENASE)  
 9029-12-3Q (GLUTAMATE DEHYDROGENASE)  
 9029-06-5 ( \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* DEHYDROGENASE)  
 9000-86-6 ( \*\*\*ALANINE\*\*\* AMINOTRANSFERASE)  
 7783-20-2 (AMMONIUM SULFATE)  
 7727-37-9 (NITROGEN)

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 AN 1991:345907 BIOSIS <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
 DN PREV199192045282; BA92:45282  
 TI ROLE OF SODIUM IN THE GROWTH OF A RUMINAL SELENOMONAD.  
 AU STROBEL H J [Reprint author]; RUSSELL J B  
 CS SECTION MICROBIOLOGY, CORNELL UNIV, ITHACA, NY 14853, USA  
 SO Applied and Environmental Microbiology, (1991) Vol. 57, No. 6, pp.

1663-1668.

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DT Article

FS BA

LA ENGLISH

ED Entered STN: 31 Jul 1991

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AB The ruminal selenomonad strain H18 grew rapidly ( $\mu$  = 0.50 h<sup>-1</sup>) in a defined \*\*\*medium\*\*\* containing glucose, ammonia, purified ammonia acids, and sodium (95 mM); little if any ammonia was utilized as a nitrogen source. When the sodium salts were replaced by potassium salts (0.13 mM sodium), there was a small reduction in growth rate ( $\mu$  = 0.34 h<sup>-1</sup>), and under these conditions > 95% of the cell nitrogen was derived from ammonia. No growth was observed when the \*\*\*medium\*\*\* lacked sodium (< 0.35 mM) and amino acids were the \*\*\*only\*\*\* \*\*\*nitrogen\*\*\* \*\*\*source\*\*\*. At least six amino acid transport systems (aspartate, glutamine, lysine, phenylalanine, \*\*\*serine\*\*\*, and valine) were sodium dependent, and these systems could be driven by an electrical potential ( $\Delta\psi$ ) or a chemical gradient of sodium. H18 utilized lactase as an energy source for growth, but only when sodium and aspartate were added to the \*\*\*medium\*\*\*. Malate or fumarate was able to replace aspartate, and when these acids were added, sodium was no longer required. Glucose-grown cells accumulated large amounts of polysaccharide (64% of dry weight), and when the exogenous glucose was depleted, this material was converted to acetate and propionate as long as sodium was present. When the cells were incubated in buffers lacking sodium, succinate accumulated and exogenous succinate could not be decarboxylated. Because sodium had little effect on the transmembrane pH gradient at pH 6.7 to 4.5, it did not appear that sodium was required for intracellular pH regulation.

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TI ISOLATION AND THERMAL STABILITY STUDIES OF TWO NOVEL \*\*\*SERINE\*\*\*  
PROTEINASES FROM THE FUNGUS TRITIRACHIUM-ALBUM LIMBER.

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SO Enzyme and Microbial Technology, (1991) Vol. 13, No. 1, pp. 66-70.

CODEN: EMTED2. ISSN: 0141-0229.

DT Article  
 FS BA  
 LA ENGLISH  
 ED Entered STN: 11 Feb 1991  
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AB A number of \*\*\*serine\*\*\* proteinases are secreted into the culture  
 \*\*\*medium\*\*\* when *Tritirachium album Limber* is supplied with protein as  
 the \*\*\*only\*\*\* \*\*\*nitrogen\*\*\* \*\*\*source\*\*\*. From this  
 population of proteinases, we have isolated two novel proteolytic enzymes,  
 designated as proteinase R and T. We have compared the thermal stability  
 of these two proteinases with that of subtilisin BPN' and proteinase K.  
 Both of these proteinases were thermally stable in the absence of  
 detergents in buffers of low (4.0) and high (10.0) pH. The thermal  
 stability of proteinase T was not affected by the presence of 1.0% SDS  
 either at pH 8.0 or 10.0 in contrast to proteinase R which became heat  
 labile. At low pH, the presence of SDS was detrimental to the stability  
 of all the proteinases.

TI ISOLATION AND THERMAL STABILITY STUDIES OF TWO NOVEL \*\*\*SERINE\*\*\*  
 PROTEINASES FROM THE FUNGUS TRITIRACHIUM-ALBUM LIMBER.

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RN 37259-58-8D ( \*\*\*SERINE\*\*\* PROTEINASES)  
 9001-92-7 (PROTEINASE)  
 37259-58-8 (PROTEINASE T)  
 151-21-3 (SDS)

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 AN 2007:77752 CABA <<LOGINID::20081221>>  
 DN 20063221139  
 TI Growth of *Biscogniauxia mediterranea* and plant free amino acids: might  
 correlation exist?  
 AU Turco, E.; Lozzi, I.; Calamai, L.; Marianelli, L.; Campaioli, M.;  
 Dellavalle, I.; Capretti, P.; Ragazzi, A.; Villemant, C. [EDITOR]; Mohamed  
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CT \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* ; amino acids; asparagine; fungal diseases; glycine; plant diseases; plant pathogenic fungi; plant pathogens; proline

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TI Nitrogen sources for renal ammoniogenesis: study with <sup>15</sup>N amino acid

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AB The contribution of amino acids other than glutamine to renal ammoniogenesis was studied in renal tubules obtained from control rats and rats with metabolic acidosis by incubating 2.5 mM [5-<sup>15</sup>N]glutamine, [2-<sup>15</sup>N]glutamine, [15N]glutamate, [15N]aspartate, [15N] \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* or [15N]glycine, as the \*\*\*only\*\*\* \*\*\*nitrogen\*\*\* \*\*\*source\*\*\* in Krebs bicarbonate buffer or as a labelled substrate in a \*\*\*medium\*\*\* containing a mixture of unlabelled amino acids. With control tissue in Krebs buffer, about 75% of total ammonia was derived from 5-N of glutamine, whereas 2-N of glutamine, glutamate, aspartate, \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* and glycine supplied 1, 10, 13, 4 and 18%, respectively. In the acidotic state, these values were 51, 30, 30, 30, 10 and 15% of total ammonia produced, respectively. Ammonia that could not be accounted for by <sup>15</sup>N analysis was derived from endogenous sources. Studies with tubules incubated in Krebs \*\*\*medium\*\*\* alone indicated that, in control and acidosis, the calculated fraction of ammonia derived from endogenous

sources was significantly decreased by addition of 0.7 or 2.5 mM glutamine. Ammonia production from endogenous sources was similar whether 0.7 or 2.5 mM glutamine was used as only exogenous substrate. Incubations of control tissue in buffer supplemented with an amino acid mixture revealed a decrease in ammonia production from [5-15N]glutamine compared with incubation in Krebs buffer alone. In chronic acidosis, no significant difference was found in total ammonia formation from [5-15N]glutamine compared with that in Krebs buffer alone. In control and acidosis, the fraction of NH<sub>3</sub> derived from glutamate, aspartate, \*\*\*alanine\*\*\* or glycine was lower in the \*\*\*medium\*\*\* supplemented with amino acids than with that in Krebs buffer.

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TI Proteolytic activity of the ruminal bacterium *Butyrivibrio fibrisolvens*

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AB The proteolytic activity of *Butyrivibrio fibrisolvens*, a ubiquitously distributed bacterial species in the gastrointestinal tracts of ruminants and other mammals, was characterized. The relative proteolytic activity (azocasein degraded in [μ]g/h mg protein) varied greatly with the strain: 0 to 1 for strains D1, D16f, E21C, and X6C61; 7 to 15 for strains IL631, NOR37, S2, LM8/1B, and X10C34; and 90 to 590 for strains 12, 49 H17C, CF4c, CF3, CF1B, and R28. The activity levels of the last group of strains were equal to or greater than those found with *Bacteroides amylophilus* or *Bacteroides ruminicola*. With the exception of strain R28 activity, 90% or more of the proteolytic activity was associated with the culture fluid and not the cells. Strain 49 produced proteolytic activity constitutively, but the level of activity (units/mg protein) was modulated by growth parameters. With various carbohydrates added to the growth \*\*\*medium\*\*\*, the proteolytic activities of strain 49 were positively correlated with

the growth rate. When the growth rate varied with the use of different nitrogen sources, a similar correlation was not found. The highest activity was observed with Casamino Acids (1 g/litre), but this reduced by about 70% with Trypticase (BBL Microbiology Systems, Cockeysville, MD) or casein (1 g/litre) and by 85% with ammonium chloride (10 mM) as the

\*\*\*only\*\*\*      \*\*\*nitrogen\*\*\*      \*\*\*source\*\*\* . The addition of ammonium chloride (1 to 10 mM) to media with low levels of Casamino Acids or Trypticase resulted in lower proteolytic activities but not as low as seen when the complex N sources were increased to 20 g/litre. Proteolytic activity was affected slightly if at all by freezing and increased proportionally with the assay temperature up to 47[deg]C. No precise optimum pH was observed, and the highest activities were in the pH range of 5.5 to 7.0. The proteolytic activity was insensitive to oxygen, and dithiothreitol or L-cysteine inhibited activity up to 40%. The effects of protease inhibitors indicated the proteolytic activities of the culture fluid and cells, which are the same and are of a \*\*\*serine\*\*\* protease type. Preliminary data from initial purification procedures suggest that the proteolytic activity in the culture fluid consists of a low-molecular-weight protein that is associated with carbohydrate material.

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TI Assignment of congested NMR spectra: Carbonyl backbone enrichment via the Entner-Doudoroff pathway

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AB In NMR spectra of complex proteins, sparse isotope enrichment can be important, in that the removal of many <sup>13</sup>C-<sup>13</sup>C homonuclear J-couplings can narrow the lines and thereby facilitate the process of spectral assignment and structure elucidation. We present a simple scheme for selective yet extensive isotopic enrichment applicable for prodn. of proteins in organisms utilizing the Entner-Doudoroff (ED) metabolic pathway. An enrichment scheme so derived is demonstrated in the context of a magic-angle spinning solid-state NMR (MAS SSNMR) study of Pfl bacteriophage, the host of which is Pseudomonas aeruginosa, strain K

(PAK), an organism that uses the ED pathway for glucose catabolism. The intact and infectious Pfl phage in this study was produced by infected PAK cells grown on a minimal \*\*\*medium\*\*\* contg. 1-13C -glucose (13C in position 1) as the sole carbon source, as well as 15NH4Cl as the \*\*\*only\*\*\* \*\*\*nitrogen\*\*\* \*\*\*source\*\*\*. The 37 MDa Pfl phage consists of about 93% major coat protein, 1% minor coat proteins, and 6% single-stranded, circular DNA. As a consequence of this compn. and the enrichment scheme, the resonances in the MAS SSNMR spectra of the Pfl sample were almost exclusively due to carbonyl carbons in the major coat protein. Moreover, 3D heteronuclear NCOCX correlation expts. also show that the amino acids leucine, \*\*\*serine\*\*\*, glycine, and tyrosine were not isotopically enriched in their carbonyl positions (although most other amino acids were), which is as expected based upon considerations of the ED metabolic pathway. 3D NCOCX NMR data and 2D 15N-15N data provided strong verification of many previous assignments of 15N amide and 13C carbonyl shifts in this highly congested spectrum. Both the semi-selective enrichment patterns and the narrowed linewidths allowed for greater certainty in the assignments as compared with use of uniformly enriched samples alone.

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IT 50-99-7, D-Glucose, analysis 56-40-6, Glycine, analysis 56-45-1, L-\*\*\*Serine\*\*\*, analysis 60-18-4, L-Tyrosine, analysis 61-90-5, L-Leucine, analysis  
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(carbonyl backbone enrichment via the Entner-Doudoroff pathway in assignment of congested NMR spectra)

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TI Growth and proteolytic activity of hairy roots from Centaurea calcitrapa: effect of nitrogen and sucrose

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AB Centaurea calcitrapa hairy root cultures were established by infection with Agrobacterium rhizogenes strain LBA 9402. The liq. \*\*\*medium\*\*\* hairy root cultures exhibited a biomass doubling time of approx. 1.5 days in the 20 days exponential growth phase. The effect of the initial

sucrose and nitrogen concns. in biomass and proteinase prodn. of the liq. \*\*\*medium\*\*\* cultures was studied. The highest values for both proteolytic activity and fresh wt. were attained between 30 and 50 g/L sucrose. A low ammonium/nitrate ratio favored the development of hairy roots and proteolytic activity. The best results for both parameters in terms of nitrogen nutrition were obtained with nitrate (24.7 mM) as the \*\*\*only\*\*\* \*\*\*nitrogen\*\*\* \*\*\*source\*\*\*. The max. proteolytic activity was found to be at pH 4.0, within the pH range for aspartic proteinases (APs), and the inhibition studies showed that only pepstatin A, specific for that class of enzymes, revealed a significant inhibitory effect. The *C. calcitrapa* aspartic proteinase (cenprosin) gene was detected in hairy roots using specific PCR primers. The specific proteolytic activity present in hairy roots seems to be lower than the reported for flowers, but similar to the existent in the untransformed roots and cell suspension cultures.

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IT 57-50-1, Sucrose, processes 7727-37-9, Nitrogen, processes 14797-55-8, Nitrate, processes 14798-03-9, Ammonium, processes 37259-58-8, \*\*\*Serine\*\*\* proteinase 37353-41-6, Cysteine proteinase 81669-70-7, Metalloproteinase  
RL: BCP (Biochemical process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(effect of nitrogen and sucrose on growth and proteolytic activity of cultured *Centaurea calcitrapa* hairy roots)

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TI Dissociation of R and P+-variants of *Bacillus brevis* var G. B. during growth on synthetic media with amino acids as the \*\*\*only\*\*\* \*\*\*nitrogen\*\*\* \*\*\*source\*\*\*

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AB In 2 variants of *B. brevis* var GB cultivated with amino acids as the source of N, a high degree of dissocn. to the S form was obsd. In variant R, max. dissocn., growth, and production of gramicidin was obsd. in a \*\*\*medium\*\*\* with glycine. The R variant was relatively stable in a \*\*\*medium\*\*\* with \*\*\*serine\*\*\* or cysteine, tryptophan or norleucine. In \*\*\*medium\*\*\* with lysine, the R variant in the P- form



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